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Mr. Phillip Schlimgen Burroughs Corporation Branch Manager, OSD/INS Standard & Products Group 7925 Jones Branch Drive McLean, Virginia 22102

Dear Mr. Schlimgen:

This letter confirms our meeting of 13 May 1983 and your telephone call of 17 May 1983.

In that meeting, we advised you that we had surveyed the Intelligence Community regarding the placement of the four Burroughs B6900 computer systems which remain from the SAFE PROJECT. unassigned systems include the three located at the TRW SAFE Development Facility in Torrance, California and one under Burroughs control in Paoli, Pennsylvania. We advised you that it is our intention to close down the Torrance facility not later than 31 July 1983. All equipment must be removed from the facility by that date.

In our meeting, you indicated that you were going to determine whether other Burroughs marketing units might be able to work on placement also. You subsequently confirmed this that you would like us not to take any further action regarding disposal until 30 June.

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As you can understand from your experience in leadtimes in government, we are already under serious time constraints. Therefore, we propose that while you continue efforts in placement, we will identify these units as excess to GSA. We will attempt to negotiate a "hold" on actual placement, i.e., if both Burroughs and GSA identify an organization willing and able to procure in a timely manner, we will request GSA to give Burroughs' choice consideration. We can, however, promise nothing regarding GSA actions.

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